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18 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

19 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

20 Leeward Capital, L.P.,
21 Plaintiff,
22 v.
23 Archon Corporation,
24 Defendant.

25 CASE NO. 2:08-cv-00007

26 **NOTICE OF RELATED CASES**

27 (General Order No. 2006-05)

28 Pursuant to the Court's General Order No. 2006-05, Plaintiff Leeward Capital, L.P., by its attorney, DLA Piper US LLP, submits that two related cases are pending in the southern division of this District, docketed as *D. E. Shaw Laminar Portfolios, L.L.C., et al., v. Archon Corporation*; Case No. 2:07-cv-01146-PMP-(LRL) and *David Rainero v. Archon Corporation*, Case No. 2:07-cv-1553(RCJ)-(PAL).

29 Plaintiff submits that assignment to a single District Judge is desirable for the following
30 reasons:

1. Plaintiffs in all three cases are holders of Archon Corporation (“Archon”)
2 Exchangeable Redeemable Preferred Stock (“Preferred Stock.”) There are ten plaintiffs in *D.E.*
3 *Shaw Laminar*. According to their Complaint, the ten plaintiffs are holders of approximately 2.1
4 million shares of the Preferred Stock. *Rainero* is a purported class action brought on behalf of all
5 holders of the Preferred Stock except Archon officers and directors. The sole defendant in each
6 case is Archon. The Preferred Stock was redeemed by Archon as of the close of business on
7 August 31, 2007 and it is the claim of the plaintiffs in each case that Archon did not properly
8 calculate the redemption price.

9 2. All three actions involve the redemption of the Archon Preferred Stock.

10 3. There is a central and overriding issue to be determined by the Court in all three
11 cases: What is the proper method for calculating the redemption price under the Resolution
12 creating the Preferred Stock and the Certificate of Designation for the Preferred Stock? The
13 factual questions and the legal questions in all three cases are essentially the same. In addition,
14 the damages of the plaintiffs will be the same amount per share in each case.

15 || DATED this 2nd day of January, 2008.

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